

**ABSTRACT**

A valved tracheostomy tube device usable with conventional tracheostomy tubes wherein the valve housing is of a very low profile and covered with an attractive cap so as to appear as a necklace jewelry piece, and preferably, a necklace of attractive jewelry is associated with the tracheostomy tube support so that the entire device is of an attractive, aesthetically acceptable appearance eliminating the medical configuration and appearance of the device.

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